

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (currently amended) A process for preparing a stable granulate for reconstitution with water into an oral aqueous suspension comprising amoxicillin trihydrate and a sugar, the process comprising the following steps:

- a. sieving the mixture of amoxicillin trihydrate and the sugar;
- b. extruding said sieved mixture with water or aqueous solution of the sugar as granulation liquid to obtain a wet extruded mass;
- c. screening the wet extruded mass through a sieve;
- d. drying the sieved wet extruded mass;
- e. dried and sieved extruded mass is homogenized to the granulate; and
- f. obtained granulate is dissolved in water to form smooth suspension immediately.

2. (currently amended) [[A]]The process according to claim 1, wherein the sugar is selected from the group consisting of sucrose, lactose, sugar alcohols and maltodextrins alone or in combination.

3. (currently amended) [[A]]The process according to claim 1, wherein the sugar is sucrose.

4. (currently amended) [[A]]The process according to claim 2, wherein the sugar alcohol is manitol or sorbitol.

5. (currently amended) [[A]]The process according to claim 1, wherein amoxicillin trihydrate is present in from 1 to 80% by weight of the granulate.

6. (currently amended) [[A]]The process according to claim 1, wherein amoxicillin trihydrate is present in from 5 to 50% by weight of the granulate.

7. (currently amended) [[A]]The process according to claim 1, wherein amoxicillin trihydrate is

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present in from 10 to 30% by weight of the granulate.

8. (currently amended) ~~[[A]]~~The process according to claim 3~~claims 1 to 3~~, wherein sucrose is present in from 20 to 99% by weight of the granulate.

9. (currently amended) ~~[[A]]~~The process according to ~~any one of claim 1~~claim 1~~claims 1 to 8~~, wherein the particle size of the granulate is in the range from 200 to 3000 μm .

10. (currently amended) ~~[[A]]~~The process according to claim 9, wherein the particle size of the granulate is in the range from 500 to 1500 μm .

11.- 13. (cancelled)

14. (original) A granulate comprising amoxicillin trihydrate and a sugar.

15. (currently amended) ~~[[A]]~~The granulate according to claim 14 for reconstitution into an aqueous suspension.

16. (currently amended) ~~[[A]]~~The granulate according to claim 14~~claims 14 to 15~~, wherein the sugar is selected from the group consisting of sucrose, lactose, sugar alcohols and maltodextrins alone and combinations thereof~~in combination~~.

17. (currently amended) ~~[[A]]~~The granulate according to claim 14~~claims 14 to 15~~, wherein the sugar is sucrose.

18. (currently amended) ~~[[A]]~~The granulate according to claim 14~~claims 14 to 16~~, wherein the sugar alcohol is manitol or sorbitol.

19. (currently amended) ~~[[A]]~~The granulate according to claim 14~~claims 14 to 18~~, wherein amoxicillin trihydrate is present in from 1 to 80% by weight of the granulate.

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20. (currently amended) ~~[[A]]~~The granulate according to claim 14~~claims 14 to 18~~, wherein amoxicillin trihydrate is present in from 5 to 50% by weight of the granulate.

21. (currently amended) ~~[[A]]~~The granulate according to claim 14~~claims 14 to 18~~, wherein amoxicillin trihydrate is present in from 10 to 30% by weight of the granulate.

22. (currently amended) ~~[[A]]~~The granulate according to claim 14~~claims 14 to 17~~, wherein sucrose is present in from 20 to 99% by weight of the granulate.

23. (currently amended) ~~[[A]]~~The granulate according to claim 16~~claims 14 to 17~~, wherein sucrose is present in from 70 to 90% by weight of the granulate.

24. (currently amended) ~~[[A]]~~The granulate according to any one of claim 14~~claims 14 to 23~~, wherein the particle size of ~~[[a]]~~ the granulate is in the range of 200 to 3000 μm .

25. (currently amended) ~~[[A]]~~The granulate according to any one of claim 14~~claims 14 to 24~~, wherein the particle size of the granulate is in the range of 500 to 1500 μm .

26. (currently amended) ~~[[A]]~~The granulate according to claim 14~~claims 14 to 25~~, wherein the granulate contain no pharmaceutically acceptable excipient.

27. - 31. (cancelled)

32. (currently amended) An aqueous suspension, prepared according to claim 1, the suspension for oral administration to humans or animals comprising amoxicillin trihydrate and the sugar obtained after reconstitution of the granulate, ~~prepared according to claims 1 to 13, with water into the aqueous solution.~~

33. (currently amended) A sachet product containing free flowing granulate according to claim 14~~claims 14 to 30~~, which comprises amoxicillin trihydrate and the sugar in a suitable unit dose, for reconstitution with water into an aqueous suspension immediately prior to use.

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34. (currently amended) A method of treatment of bacterial infections in humans or animals, which comprises the administration of a[[the]] granulate comprising a therapeutically effective amount of amoxicillin trihydrate and a[[the]] sugar.

35. (cancelled)